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ARTS FESTIVAL COMMENCES ON SATURDAY

Commencing next Saturday, Altona's first Arts Festival could be a notable landmark in Altona's history.

The Arts Council with Mr. L. R. James, Librarian, as Convener, has spared no effort to ensure its success.

The fullest co-operation of all Altona organisations has been received. In addition there will be guest bands and groups from outside Altona.

The detailed programme of events has already appeared in the Altona Star.

A souvenir programme with a fine art cover is on sale (50 cents each) at the Altona Public Libraries. The cover photograph was taken by Mr. J. Merrials, a member of the Altona Camera Club.

Shire President, Cr. S. G. McIntosh, will officially open the Arts Festival at a ceremony in the Altona Public Library, 123 Queen Street, at 2.30 p.m. next Saturday, July 29.

Miss Angela Ridsdale formerly of Altona Primary School will open a display of art (printing,

pottery and sculpture) in St. Mary's Hall on Sunday, July 30, at 3 p.m.

The week of activity includes a talent quest, photography display, drama, films, art display, ballet, band, orchestra and choral performances, puppet show and a flower show. The conclusion will be a Masked Ball at the Altona Reception Rooms on Saturday, August 5.

At the end of the Souvenir programme in an expression of appreciation to those who have in any way contributed to the promotion of the week's activities the Arts Council strikes a happy note by stating — "Their spirit of co-operation has been a considerable encouragement to the committee and for this enthusiasm and encouragement may we say most sincerely — Thank You".

ALL THREE VICTORIAN JUNIOR HOCKEY TEAMS CAPTAINED BY ALTONA LADS



Captain of last year's Victorian junior hockey team Ross Ford (extreme left) hands the captain's guernsey to this year's captain Wally Lenyszyn. Between them is Mark McDonald, and the others are (left to right) John Mellett, John Forrester and Billy Duncan.

All told seven Altona players have been selected as members of Victorian junior hockey teams to compete in interstate matches during the school holidays.

All three junior teams — Victorian Junior team (under 16), Junior Touring Side (Under 15) and the Victorian Under 12 team — will be captained by Altona lads.

This is the second year in succession an Altona player has captained the Victorian Junior team which competes in the Australian championships.

Wally Lenyszyn is captain of the 1967 Victorian Junior team. The Australian championships will be held in Melbourne.

Last year's captain was Ross Ford who finished the games as vice-captain of the Australian team. This year Ross plays for M.C.C. and has been chosen as a member of the Victorian Colts team (Under 21) which flew to Perth yesterday for interstate matches.

Captain of the Victorian Junior Touring side which will travel to Tasmania is Peter Byrne

and his fellow Altona players chosen in this team are Richard Lukoszek and Bill Duncan.

John Forrester will captain the Under 12 team to play in South Australia. Playing with him will be Altona lads Mark McDonald and John Mallett.

Semi-finals for the current season of metropolitan junior hockey matches begins this Saturday morning.

All three Altona teams, Under 16, Under 14 and Under 12, have the double chance as they finished the season either first or second.

Under 16 plays at MCC, Under 14 and Under 12 play at Elsternwick Park.

RATE MAY STAY AS LAST YEAR

Altona householders seem likely to pay the same rate of 13.5c in the \$1 again this year.

The finance committee convenor, Cr. W. L. J. Crofts, told this week's Altona Shire Council meeting that his committee would recommend that the rate remain unchanged.

Council agreed with his recommendation.

Now a notice of motion must be given at the next council meeting and the proposed rate will probably be debated a fortnight later.

Cr. Crofts said he would propose a pan charge of \$14.45 a year.

This year's steady rate contrasted sharply with the figure put forward the previous year. The jump to 13.5c in the \$1 was a rise of 35 per cent. over the previous year.

APEX FANCY DRESS BALL

The Altona Civic Hall was the venue for a very successful fancy dress ball run by the Altona Apex Club last Friday night. Many and varied original costumes were worn by nearly everyone present.

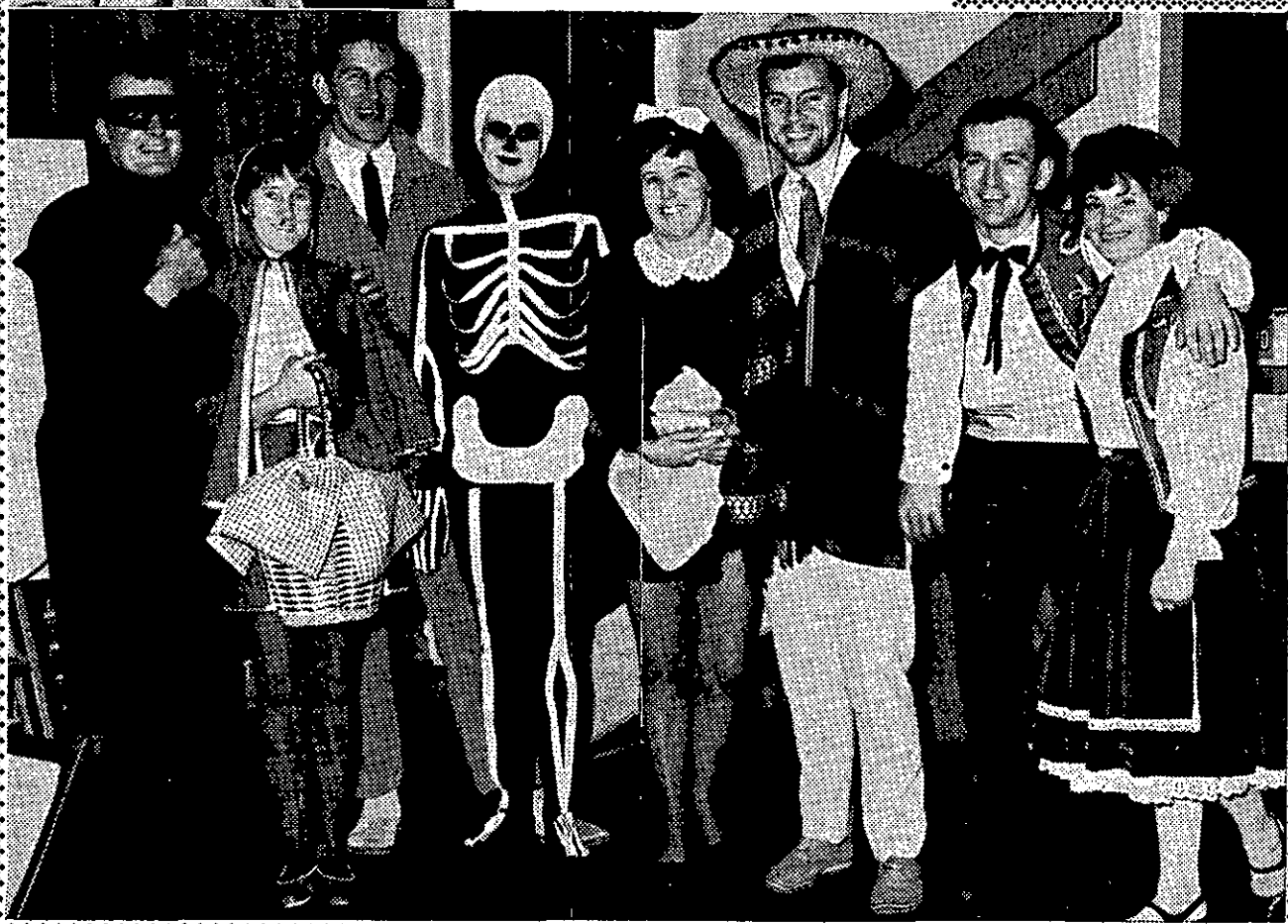
A square dance exhibition set, dancing to the calling of local Apex member Barry Atkins, added a new flavour to the night.

The prize for the best fancy dress was won by Mrs. June Dodd (pictured on the left) who went dressed as a Gin.

The most original dress was worn by Mrs. Judy Hoskins, who is seen in the group of dancers, pictured below dressed as a skeleton.

The evening, organised by Harry Weaver, and capably MC'd by Gus Haygarth (the Mexican in the photo below) was voted such a success that it appears likely to become an annual event.

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SUPERANNUATION BOARD WITHOLDS LOAN TO OUR SHIRE!

Altona has been refused a \$100,000 loan from the Commonwealth Superannuation Board—because another municipality has failed to pay up.

And Altona Shire Council this week was angered by the refusal.

Cr. J. J. Ginifer said the refusal could have a serious effect on all municipal loan raising throughout Victoria.

"Up until now it has been accepted that money loaned to councils has been gilt edged," he said.

"This will undermine confidence in all municipal governments."

"Because of the action of one council, all must suffer," he said.

This week's council meeting was told that the loan decision had been communicated to the shire the week before.

The defaulting council was not named in the letter.

But because of the situation, the State Government had decided not to guarantee any further municipal loans.

"I would ask this council to

consider sending a letter to the Premier, Sir Henry Bolte, requesting him to reconsider," Cr. Ginifer said.

The last council meeting was told that the loan had already been arranged.

"Now because of this one council the money has been withdrawn," he said.

"This whole affair could have much wider consequences than most people would think."

"Meanwhile, we are left without our \$100,000."

Cr. Ginifer said the matter was now being raised with the Municipal Association in an effort to obtain the necessary guarantee.

With luck, there might still be a chance of Altona getting the loan.

Council accepted Cr. Ginifer's motion that a letter be sent to Sir Henry.

EDITORIAL

THE VERY YOUNG

The State Government regards kindergartens for pre-school children as desirable. The Altona Shire Council, going a step further, considers them essential. The combination of these two interests has resulted in a sufficiency of interstitial well-equipped and maintained free kindergartens in Altona. And to this partnership must be added the Mothers' Club associated with each of the centres, who still find plenty of opportunity and scope to assist the teacher and assistant.

In general the care of the very young in Altona is good.

Five infant welfare centres, seven kindergartens and a play centre are so situated as to be in convenient reach of all. In addition a dental clinic at the Homestead gives free service to these children.

The service given to Altona's young children receives considerable government subsidies. The remaining cost, a substantial amount, is a charge to the Altona Shire Council.

For this reason it is good to see that the available facilities are being used to capacity (or nearly). Perhaps more use could be made of the dental centre.

The growth of Altona and diverging numbers in varied age groups present problems of allocation and accommodation. These are to some extent being solved.

Having agreed that kindergartens are essential the council must face up to the situation that no child needing kindergarten facilities shall be unplaced.

Noise Problem at Union Carbide?

Altona's noise problem is in the news again.

This time the reported troublemaker is the big Union Carbide plant.

Cr. H. W. Lee told council ex-cess noise had been reported by residents three times over the last 10 days.

On two occasions, people had been wakened in the early hours of the morning, he said.

"The noise itself is similar to a steam boiler losing pressure. I have talked to several people at the plant and they believe the sound could be caused

by a malfunction in a machine mixing certain fuels.

"The pressure builds up and must be eliminated."

Cr. Lee said all the nearby residents agreed that the noise was coming from the Union Carbide plant.

"I believe this problem can be overcome," he said.

Cr. Lee said he would like to take the matter up with the plant management.

APPEAL FOR DOORKNOCK VOLUNTEERS

Sister Eve Grigor, of the Royal District Nursing Service, would like to hear from anyone willing to join in the doorknock for the service next Sunday.

Sister Grigor, of the Kingsville headquarters, is well-known to television viewers and newspaper readers. She is the attractive, kindly district nurse who is seen going on the rounds.

She has been shown making her calls upon ill people in their homes during the current "Thanks a Million" appeal.

Her story—that of an air hostess who gave up that glamorous job to return to her profession of nursing—was told in the "Western Suburbs Advertiser" on July 12.

The appeal is lagging. The money needed is slow in coming forward.

The Royal District Nursing Service reports a new problem. It has been found that, as people become aware that there is a service under which these "angles of mercy" visit homes, they are making more and more calls for district nurses.

Last Wednesday, for instance, 72 extra patients were added to the responsibilities of the service throughout Melbourne. In just one day, the nurses have 71 extra patients to care for.

This is a record number of new patients for one day in the history of the Royal Nursing Service.

"The total money attributed to the appeal so far is well below our target," reported Sister Grigor this week.

"We are desperately in need of more help for the doorknock next Sunday."

Sister Grigor invites anyone who would help by calling upon some homes to ring her at the headquarters of the service for the Western Suburbs—the telephone number is 314-9788.

Or call in at the depot, which is at the corner of Geelong-rd. and Bishop-st., Kingsville.

Sister Grigor would be delighted to hear you will help.

She herself will be one of the district nurses who will drive doorknockers to the areas they will visit—and pick them up later.

The work of the nurses in the Western Suburbs is a very busy round as present. And it is growing at a fast rate—the service is trying to meet calls from Footscray to Werribee and from Sunshine to Altona.

LIFE SAVING CLUB EXECUTIVE TO MEET

A meeting of the Executive Committee will be held in the Clubhouse on Tuesday, 1st August at 7.30 p.m.

The main business will be a discussion of nominations for Office Bearers for season 1967-68. Also the handing over of all books for the Annual Audit.

All Executive and co-opted members are requested to be in attendance.

FILM NIGHT

The film being shown on Friday, 28th July, in the Life Savers Hall is a full length film in colour recently shown in the City.

Refreshments will be available during the interval. The hall is well heated so don't be afraid to come along if it is a cold evening.

CAR TRIAL

As previously reported, a Car Trial has been organised for Sunday, 13th August and covers approximately 60 miles in the Western District.

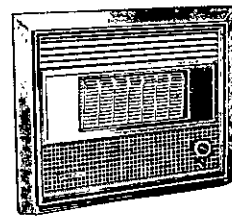
The first car is scheduled to leave from outside the Civic Offices at 10 a.m. and competitors are requested to be there at 9.45 a.m. to receive instructions.

Full details may be obtained from Ian McCulloch, 11 Dove Avenue.

It is rumoured that the 3 old dodgers who got lost in the last trial are getting half way start.

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The Social Whirl

If you have any news of a birthday, engagement, wedding, or social event, it can be included in these pages. Phone 65-8277—there is no charge.

34 Days On The Continent

Back in England after a 34-day tour of the Scandinavian countries, Russia, Poland and Germany, Beth Logan, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reg Logan, of Pier-st., Altona, wrote home her impressions of the countries and an amusing account of her experiences.

Granted 12 months leave from the Education Department, Beth sailed for England last January. She is doing exchange teaching in London and between teaching assignments is touring different countries.

On the trip to Russia she was a member of a group which left England in three mini buses on a chartered bus tour.

Beth writes—

The ferry from Dover to Sebrge was quite luxurious compared with the one to Ostend. There were shops, lounges, etc. From Sebrge we drove to Amsterdam, through Antwerp and Utrecht. We camped in a large open ground behind the Olympic Stadium.

A cruise down the canals was very interesting. The country is very flat with small canals all over.

Everyone rides bikes and there are miles and miles of them parked along the roadsides.

There are tracks besides most of the highways for the cyclists. Many countries have these tracks as only motor transport is allowed on the autobahns or highways.

The countryside to Hamburg is very flat as it was for practically all of the trip. In his camping ground a carnival was camped. There were two plets for 50 girls, but a man was locked in one for about three hours. We did not know whether he intended to be there or if he had mistaken the ladies for the gents. It was quite a talking point as the toilets had glass doors.

At night we went into town and walked down the street of lights. There are green pors at each end of the street which is of buildings with windows all along and prostitutes sitting in them. All very amorous—if you can call them that—and clean. Of course there are swarms of men there, too.

There is a whole area in Amsterdam of red light windows, but we never went into town at night there.

We went to the Hoffbrahaus, which is a tremendous drinking ll. The atmosphere is terrific. We visited a jazz club and a disquette, both were beaut. The night life in West Germany sure fun.

Next day we travelled to Denmark on a ferry. Our next door neighbours in Copenhagen were psies, but we had no trouble with them. We visited the Carlsberg brewery which included a free beers after the tour. The shopping centre is quite old and small shops which are fairly pensive.

That night we went to the Poli Gardens. It is like Luna Park, only much better. At 11-45 there is a marvellous fireworks display over the beautifully lit lakes.

From Denmark it was another ferry to Sweden which has scenery similar to the countryside on the coast of New South Wales, only pines instead of gum trees. We passed our only hilly areas here through all the farm lands.

The city of Stockholm is very modern with plenty of wide roads, highways and roundabouts. Homes are mainly flats in the city area.

Next day the weather was glorious so we sat on the beach. I went unwillingly for a swim in the North Sea—after being thrown in. The water was freezing. Stockholm is lovely. Shops are very modern and bright. Clothes are tremendous but quite pricey.

On a ferry again from Norrtalje toTurku. It had rows of seats like aeroplanes and large bars in which we sat and entertained other passengers singing Australian songs all night. I had my first sauna bath on the ferry. It was wonderful and it really made me feel so clean.

Finland is a very poor looking country and people are typical peasants.

Carol and I were exiled to the back of the bus all day as we messed up the breakfast—we spillt 16 half cooked poached eggs on the ground so had to eat Ryvita biscuits for breakfast. Were the boys pleased!

There was a big flag day procession in Helsinki and every one was out waving flags.

Our three red buses got caught in the middle of the procession between the army trucks and tanks. I'm sure we received more cheers and waves than the army.

We had to wait for two hours at the Finnish-Russian border until an escort came and took us to the modern customs office.

The buses were thoroughly searched, while we filled in forms stating how much money we had in all currencies.

We then drove through pine forests and farm lands.

People were very intrigued with the buses and seemed very friendly.

We had to entertain ourselves in the camp for most of the nights as there is little or no entertainment in the the communist countries.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: More of Beth's story will be published next week.)

Fancy Dress Afternoon For Children

A fancy dress afternoon for children is being organised by the Ladies Auxilliary of St. Luke's Church of England, Altona North. Many prizes to be awarded in the various age groups will include one for the cheapest costume.

A magician will entertain the children at the function in the church hall, near the corner of Blackshaws and Millers-rds., on Saturday, August 12, at 2 p.m.

Altona High P. & C. Meeting Change

Members of the Altona High School Parents and Citizens' Association are reminded that the meeting night for August has been changed.

The meeting scheduled to be held on August 7 will now be conducted at the school on Monday, August 14, at 8 p.m.

All interested parents and citizens are welcome to attend.

NOORDENNES GO OVERSEAS

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Noordenne flew to Holland last Friday to visit Mrs. Noordenne's parents.

After one week in Holland they plan to tour around Europe by car and on their way home will call at Bangkok and Hong Kong.

The Noordenne's will be home again towards the end of August.

Cabaret Dance Will Aid Youth Club

Altona Youth Club will hold a cabaret dance in its hall in Civic-pde., Altona, on Saturday next, July 29, at 8 p.m.

There will be spot prizes and monte carlos.

Proceeds will be in aid of the youth club funds.

Admission is \$1 single.

Elderly Citizens Activities

On August 2 the Altona Elderly Citizens' Club will be going into Melbourne to see the live show "There's A Girl In My Soup." All members wishing to go must have their names in by Thursday of this week.

The monthly birthday party on Saturday, July 29, will be at 2 p.m. and all members are invited to come along and enjoy a pleasant afternoon.

Remember games on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1-30 p.m. Also choir practice on Wednesdays. All members come along as they sing on Saturday.

Altona High School Mothers' Club

The next meeting of the Altona High School Mothers' Club will be held at the school at 1-30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 1.

Newspapers are still being collected and it is suggested that mothers could save them and perhaps fathers would not mind dropping the bundles off at the school.

SPASTIC AID SOCIAL ON FRIDAY

The regular social evening organised by the Altona Spastic Aid Committee will be held tomorrow night, Friday, July 28, in the Youth Hall, Civic-pde., Altona, at 8 p.m.

Supper and the usual prizes will be provided for a 60c donation.

CAMERA CLUB'S DISPLAY

On Friday, July 28, the final touches will be given to weeks of planning and work by the Altona Camera Club.

Entries for the Altona Arts Festival Photographic Display are to be handed in to the club committee for indexing and displaying.

All members are requested to attend on Friday to help the work along and ensure that the display is a success.

As from Saturday, July 29, the display will be open to the public in the Altona Library.

The official judge, Mr. Barclay, will be in attendance between 3 and 4 p.m. on Saturday, and he and Mrs. Barclay will be entertained afterwards in the clubroom. Members are requested to bring a plate of cakes or sandwiches and a cup.

Altona North State Mothers' Club

The Altona North Primary School Mothers' Club has arranged for a floral demonstration to be held at the Methodist Church Hall, Sixth-ave., Altona North, on Wednesday, August 9, at 1-30 p.m.

Please make a note of the date and come along for a little relaxation while the children are at school or kindergarten.

Perhaps you have a hidden talent for flower arrangement, so why not make the effort and find out.

Donation is 30c and a cup of tea or coffee will be provided.

YOUNG WIVES GROUP BUSY

St. Eanswythe's Young Wives have had a busy time lately. Their last meeting, held at the home of Mrs. Les King was a happy night.

Discussion on the subject of the Mothers Union's First Object, that of "the Sanctity of Marriage" proved interesting and quite lively, and there was plenty of knitting accomplished as well.

More 6 in. knitted squares for a rug for Popondetta Mission are needed.

A big group of Young Wives hostessed another Beetle Afternoon at the Altona Migrant Hostel on Wednesday, 19th July and although the attendance of Hostel Ladies was poor, those present were most appreciative.

The Annual Wave of Prayer was kept up in the Church on Thursday 20th, between 9.30 and 10 a.m., with a Service conducted by Leader Margaret Barrow.

Would any members able to bake for the Street Stall on August on August 5 please remember to do so; any help will be most appreciated by the Ladies' Guild.

St. Eanswythe's Ladies Guild

St. Eanswythe's Ladies Guild will hold their next meeting on Wednesday, August 2, at 8 p.m. at 21 Harrington-st., and new members are always welcome.

FLOODS AND SUN UP NORTH

Wonderful weather apart from one week of floods was experienced by Mrs. R. Ingwersen, of Bent Street, Altona, on her recent 5 week stay in Cairns, Queensland.

During the floods she was seated in a friend's lounge room when water trickled through the doorway and quickly rose to a depth of 1 foot.

However it subsided fairly quickly.

Mrs. Ingwersen was among the first group of tourists to board the new ship "Balli-Hai" for a trip around the islands. She tried her hand at fishing and found the fish just waiting to be caught.

A train traveller on the way up, Mrs. Ingwersen flew home.

Presbyterial Girls' Gymnasium

From its commencement in May the gymnasium for young girls has made great progress. Numbers now exceed 70.

On Saturday next there will be a meeting to discuss a concert and display to be held.

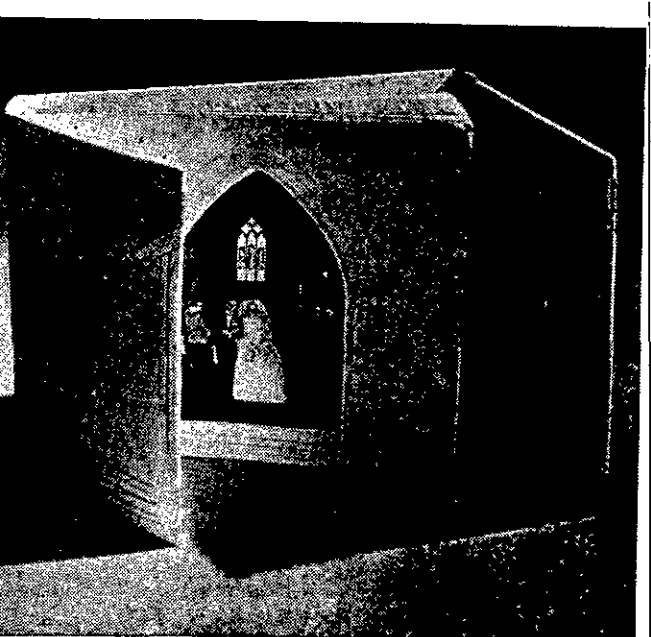
Toward the close of the year no classes will be held during the school holidays.

Enrolments for this year will close on August 31.

Altona West State Mothers' Club

The Altona West Primary School Mothers' Club will hold its next meeting at the school on Thursday, August 3, at 7-30 p.m.

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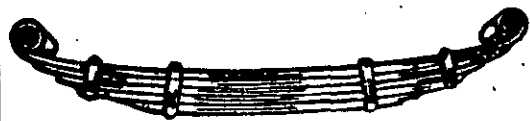


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ALTONA PURIFICATION PLANT— VITAL QUESTIONS ANSWERED

The answers to a number of questions asked about the Altona Purification Plant will interest residents of Altona Shire.

Cr. W. L. J. Crofts raised the points when he and Cr. J. J. Ginifer, Commissioner of the Board of Works, discussed the plant with the Board's Engineer-in-Chief earlier this month.

Board of Works secretary, Mr. H. J. Snadden, set out replies to the various questions as follows—



• Cr. W. L. J. CROFTS.

Q.—What will happen if a pump breaks down at a time of high load?

A.—Adequate stand-by pumping capacity is being provided to ensure that the maximum flow can be handled, even when the largest pump in both pumping stations is out of action.

Will it be impossible at an stage for "raw sewage" or partly treated sewage to get into Port Phillip Bay from the Altona Sewerage Purification Plant?

It will not be possible for raw sewage to get into the bay from the purification plant. Partially purified sewage could conceivably enter the bay, but a most improbable series of co-incidence would be required to achieve this. Substantial provision of standby units has been made to guard against all reasonable contingencies.

If the purification plant is to be developed in stages, will these be controlled by population?

Is the lack of finance ever likely to delay the development of the plant at a time when the population increase demands further development, thereby causing possible overloading of the plant?

The successive stages of development of the plant will be controlled by the sewage flow rather than by population numbers. Prevention of overloading of the plant can be effected by extending reticulation in phase with plant development. The council could accordingly assist through the issue of building permits and appropriate town planning.

Have any tests been carried out on the sea water at present to act as a benchmark?

If so, what tests? No sea water tests have been carried out in the immediate vicinity of the proposed outfall although these will be made before the plant is commissioned. The determinations made are for ammonia, nitrogen, salinity and E. Coli. Examinations in creek and drains, such as the Civic pde. drain, have been made and the results indicate considerable pollution which should be reduced as sewerage progresses.

Have there been any bacterial plate counts taken of the sea water in Port Phillip Bay?

Plate counts have been made in respect of sea water samples obtained off Carrum, Frankston St. Kilda, Werribee and elsewhere.

Have there been any tests of the sea water in Port Phillip Bay for the presence of pathogens?

Yes. Determinations have been made to establish the E. Coli count in various parts of the bay. This is used as an index rather than attempting to isolate the pathogens themselves which would involve a lengthy and cumbersome biological procedure.

Will there be any tests in regard to the previous two questions during the operation of the plant?

If so, will the results of the tests be available to the Shire of Altona?



• Cr. J. J. GINIFER.

It is the Board's practice to carry out sampling and analysis of the sewage in its various stages of purification as part of the routine of plant operation.

It is not customary to publish the results which are mainly of value in connection with assessment and control of plant efficiency. Appropriate control tests will be carried out at Altona when the plant is in operation.

Where will the effluent be discharged at Altona? i.e. position and distance from low water mark.

The proposed point of discharge of this purified effluent is located about 1350 feet offshore from the high water mark, and about 15 feet beyond and 600 feet south of the end of the explosives jetty.

Has there been any study of the prevailing sea currents in Altona Bay?

No study has been made of the prevailing sea currents in Altona Bay.

Will there be a "standard of effluent"? What will this be? Is this determined by statute or just an arbitrary set of values?

The quality or standard of effluent which will be discharged will have an average BOD of 20 ppm and suspended solids of 30 ppm. This is a quality which is acceptable to the Commission of Public Health. There is, in actual fact, no statutory standard, for discharge to the sea. The Stream Pollution Regulations of the Health Act would permit the discharge of this effluent, to an inland stream. It may be added that this standard is accepted into inland waters, in the United Kingdom where there is dilution of only one to eight.

Will the effluent be checked for the presence of pathogens?

Yes. As stated earlier, tests will be carried out to determine the E. Coli count, which is the accepted index for control purposes.

Is there likely to be any chlorine present in the outflow of effluent at any time?

In Stage 1 the retention period in the effluent oxidation basin (tertiary treatment) is 30 days initially, decreasing to 15 days. Provision has been made in the plant for the installation of equipment to chlorinate the effluent if and when required.

However, having regard to the length of the retention period it is not expected that chlorination will prove necessary in the initial stages. In due course there will be chlorination during the summer bathing period and the effluent would contain a residual of chlorine which would be undetectable in the sea due to the resultant dilution.

What routine testing will be carried out at the Sewerage Purification Plant?

The following routine tests are normally carried out—Ammonia and nitrogen determinations, suspended solids, E. Coli count and biochemical oxygen demand.

Will there be any odour from the Sewerage Purification Plant? With a modern plant, properly

operated and surrounded with an adequate buffer strip, no odour should be detectable. Provision has been made for pre-chlorination of the raw sewage to eliminate odour should this occur due to some contingency requiring process adjustment or control.

Where else in Victoria, Australia or in the world is there a similar system for the purification of sewerage?

This is a conventional type of purification plant similar to those installed in many country towns throughout Victoria. The Lower Plenty Purification Plant can be operated in a similar manner.

Can an inspection of the Lower Plenty Scheme be arranged at an early date of operation?

Yes. This can be arranged, but it is suggested that this be deferred for a little while until there is more sewage flow.

Is it likely that effluents from Altona (which contains phosphates and nitrogen) to have any influence on the growth of seaweed?

At present the only known case where eutrophication has stimulated the growth of seaweed are those associated with the discharge of raw sewage as distinct from purified effluent.

There is no known record of the growth of seaweed and it is considered unlikely that the discharge of a purified effluent having any effect on the growth of seaweed and it is considered unlikely that the discharge at Altona will have any such effect. This aspect, however, will be kept under scrutiny as part of the investigations and examinations to be undertaken jointly by the Board and the Department of Fisheries and Wildlife.

Alternatively, will the effluent have a tendency to kill seaweed? See answer to the previous question (above).

Western Suburbs Table Tennis

1967-68 COMPETITION

Teams and players interested in competing in the next season of table tennis in the Western Suburbs Table Tennis Association are invited to call at the centre, Garden-st., Williamstown, any evening during the next few weeks.

Entries close in mid-August and the season commences last September.

Further details from secretary Ron Arnott, 74 Poole-st., Deerpark, 393-1663, or the centre 397-6663.

WINTER PENNANT

The present winter pennant season is now approaching its climax. Round 13 was completed, to be played out in early August, will lead up to the semi-finals and finals.

Interest at this stage natural centres in those teams competing for places in the final series and most players are trying to capture top form for the matches ahead.

In D3 Altona remains unbeaten and seems to have a mortgage on the premiership.

However, finals are often unpredictable, and as experience has shown on many occasions top teams have to maintain form through a testing series to take out that elusive honour the premiership pennant.

MATCH COMMENT

Trudy Reissman is winning well for Altona Working Men's Club. In her last three matches she has beaten seven out of nine men players opposed to her while her team spirit and deportment are excellent.

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WESTERN SUBURBAN FOOTBALL LEAGUE NO CHANGES IN LEAGUE LADDERS

For the first time in many weeks no changes in the Western Suburban Football League ladders changed after the weekend round of matches.

But the battle for the Open Age four is wide open; Under-18 should stay the same for remaining rounds; and Under-16 will stay the same with the last round being played next Saturday.

MATCH RESULTS

OPEN AGE

Central Altona 12-14-86 d. West Newport 11-15-81. Maidstone 17-11-13 d. Laverton 11-7-73. Newport 13-12-90 d. RAAF 6-4-40. South Kingsville had the bye.

CENTRAL ALTONA got a fright at WEST NEWPORT where the home side led until just on the final bell. With a three goal leeway to make up in the last quarter, Centrals had to struggle hard to just make it.

MAIDSTONE indicated a return to top form by a six goal win over LAVERTON, who are gradually losing their claim to a place in the four.

NEWPORT were too strong for RAAF and won by eight goals.

UNDER-18

Altona 16-13-109 d. Werribee 8-8-56. West Newport 14-14-98 d. Central Altona 10-8-68. Laverton had the bye.

ALTONA were hard pressed at WERRIBEE to half-time when the scores were level, but in the last half the visitors determination gave them the edge and they drew away to win well.

WEST NEWPORT were in a similar position against CENTRAL ALTONA, being two points down at half-time, but recovered well in the second half to win by five goals.

UNDER-16

Werribee 7-19-61 d. Altona 9-6-60. Newport 3-13-31 d. Devon Park 3-10-28. West Newport had the bye.

Two even games were played on Saturday morning with one and three points between the victors and their opponents.

THE DEFENCES in the PORT-DEVON PARK game on top all day as shown by scores.

LADDERS

OPEN AGE

Team	%
Central Altona	181.6
Maidstone	171.6
Newport	139.8
West Newport	158.9
Laverton	134.0
RAAF	68.7
South Kingsville	14.1

UNDER-18

Team	%
Altona	596.7
Werribee	171.9
West Newport	85.7
Central Altona	76.3
Laverton	30.0
Newport	27.2

UNDER-16

Team	%
West Newport	402.8
Werribee	209.7
Altona	133.3
Newport	23.3
Devon Park	27.3

NEXT GAMES

Next weekend's games, the likely winners in bold are as follows—

UNDER-16 (10 a.m. Sat.) West Newport v. West Altona v. Newport. Devon have the bye. This is the round of Under-16 before finals.

OPEN AGE (2-30 p.m. Sat.) Newport v. Central Altona v. Laverton. Ma v. South Kingsville. West v. Newport. West Altona v. Newport.

UNDER-18 (2-30 p.m. Sat.) Central Altona v. Altona v. Werribee. West Altona v. Newport.

NO PROMOTION THIS YEAR FOR NEWPORT BASEBALLERS

Two losses at the weekend has put Newport Baseball Club's A Team out of the running for promotion this year.

The selectors should now think seriously about next year and promising players in the lower teams and give them some experience in B Grade.

Early in the season the A Team looked certain contenders for promotion to A Grade, but the failure of many players to carry on, plus a lack of concentration has placed this team in the position where they may have to battle to stay in B Grade next year.

Perhaps the "bleeding" of a few of the more promising lower team players could help in the 1968 season.

A TEAM—SATURDAY

Newport met Ivanhoe at Newport on Saturday and after leading 1-0 in the early stages of the game, lost 1-3.

Newport had chances to win this game, but once again the team's inability to bat with runners in scoring position showed up.

Fielding errors gave Ivanhoe two of their three runs.

SAFE HITS: D. Cornish 2, H. Douglas 1, J. Maher 1 and R. Salter 1.

BEST: Don Cornish, Alan McKay and John Maher.

A TEAM—SUNDAY

In their last chance of keeping in the fight for the final four Newport lost to bottom side Alphington 13-9 on Sunday.

Newport had pitching troubles early and this let in runs. The A Team had chances to take the lead but Alphington's batting was too strong.

A very uneven outfield caused a few bad bounces and misfields and this factor also added to the defeat.

Quite a few fiery incidents had an unsettling effect on both teams and kept spectators in good voice.

SAFE HITS: K. Johns 2, B. Cleary 1, J. Maher 1, D. Cornish 1 and R. Salter 1.

A Team Ladder

Team	Won	Lost	Drew	Pts.
Melb. Univ.	15	3	0	30
Collingwood	12	5	1	25
Ivanhoe	11	5	2	24
Port. Melb.	10	8	0	20
Kew	9	8	1	19
Caulfield	9	8	1	19
Flemington	7	9	2	16
Newport	7	9	2	16
Oakleigh	7	9	2	16
Fitzroy	6	10	2	14
Glenhuntingly	4	14	0	8
Alphington	3	14	1	7

B TEAM

A good 4-3 win over Ivanhoe on Saturday was more like the true form of this team.

Fielding and batting showed a big improvement, but this may have come too late for the team to make the four this year.

SAFE HITS: J. Kelly 2, W. Middlemass 1, A. Duggan 1 and B. Webb 1.

BEST: Jim Kelly, Alan Duggan and Barry Webb.

C TEAM

The C Team returned to the winning list and soundly defeated Ivanhoe 17-0.

Newport showed a return to the form that has put them on top of the list for most of this season, and a continuation will surely make them the side to beat for this year's premiership.

Highlights of the game were the home run by Barry Howard and the very long hit by junior Paul Trentini.

SAFE HITS: B. Howard 2 (including a home run), P. Campbell 2, G. Williams 1, G. Murdoch 1, W. Thom 1, P. Cochrane 1, J. Bird 1, P. Trentini 1, P. Murdoch 1 and R. Scott 1.

BEST: Best players could not be picked on a very even side—this was a team effort.

UNDER-17

Once again through errors in the field and a lack of concentration Newport were easily defeated 13-2 by Sunshine.

SAFE HITS: S. Cross 2, N. Thatcher 1, P. Trentini 1 and R. Kelly 1.

BEST: Steven Cross, Ian Lees and Neil Thatcher.

UNDER-15

Good work by Newport's battery in obtaining 14 strikeouts and Harry Bunting's no-hit game enabled Newport to beat Ivanhoe 4-1.

SAFE HITS: H. Bunting 2, N. Lees 2, G. Thompson 2 and H. Zanner 1.

BEST: Harry Bunting, Geoff Thompson and Rick Bunting.

UNDER-13

The Under-13's finished the home and home part of the season on a good note when they defeated Williamstown 14-4 and thus carried on their winning streak.

Jeff Esmore was outstanding, striking out 11 batters and obtaining four safe hits himself.

SAFE HITS: J. Esmore 4, K. Lees 2, P. Dyson 1 and K. Stonehouse 1.

BEST: Jeff Esmore, Ken Lees and Neville Kerres.

NEXT GAMES

A TEAM meet Caulfield at Newport Sports Oval at 12-30 p.m.; B TEAM are away at 12-30 p.m.; and C TEAM play at Newport at 12-30 p.m.

UNDER-15 play in the second semi-final at 9-45 a.m. against Essendon at Newport.

UNDER-17 and UNDER-13 will take part in a consolation round for teams out of the four and Under-17 meet Essendon at Newport and Under-13 play Williamstown at Royal Park. Both to start at 9-45 a.m.

Altona in Lacrosse Draw With Leaders

The vital game played against Footscray on Saturday by Altona Lacrosse Club ended up with both teams even with 15 goals.

From the first whistle both sides put as much as they could into the game and fought for the ball throughout the first quarter, which ended with Altona leading Footscray 5-4.

The second term was just as fast and rugged as the two sides fought desperately for goals and at half-time Footscray had gone to a 10-9 lead over Altona.

The second half saw several "disputes" between the teams, but spectacular goal shooting by both sides proved to keep the teams and spectators at fever pitch. A goal for goal match had developed and at three quarter time Altona had regained the lead, 14-13.

During the last term the back lines stood defiant and both teams found it difficult to score.

The final whistle blew and both sides walked off the field as equals. Altona played extremely well on Saturday and look forward to their next meeting with Footscray.

GOALS: R. Little 9, B. McMinn 2, J. Houston 2, K. Little 1 and D. McMinn 1.

BEST: B. McMinn, R. Benedierks and R. Rigby.

NEXT GAME

Next Saturday Altona play Chadstone at Altona North.

GRAND FINAL NIGHT

On Saturday, September 2, Altona Lacrosse Club is having a grand final party at the Central Hotel, Altona North. The night begins at 8 p.m. and everyone is welcome. Donation is \$2.

ALTONA HOCKEY RESULTS

B NORTH

Playing Geelong Altona should have had some enthusiasm to win, but they lost 1-0 in a game in which all of the play was in the Altona goal mouth.

The backs are to be praised for playing 70 minutes of hockey. The forwards gave the impression that they could not care less. The insides did not recover, in fact one inside was caught offside three times.

Altona have only three more matches to play, and if these forwards are still in B Grade it would be good to see a little more enthusiasm and effort from them.

Next Saturday B North play Fairfield at Altona.

E NORTH

Altona played home to Footscray and lost 1-0. This game proved to be a good, fast game, but Altona's forwards failed to capitalise in the circle and they missed some golden opportunities.

The Altona defence again played well, especially Steven Curnow, who did everything that was required of him.

Altona can't afford to lose any of the remaining matches or they are out of the four.

BEST: S. Curnow, W. Henshall and P. Shields.

Special mention to Colin Burgess, who went well on the right wing.

UNDER-12

Altona d. Greensborough (2) 2-0.

At the conclusion of the home and home games the local side had an easy win over Greensborough. This team has not lost a game throughout the season, scoring 121 goals with only five against.

It now only remains for this side to keep up its winning run to take the finals and so on to the premiership.

BEST: M. McDonald and J. Forrester.

Soccer Club in Great Win

With a top class display of fast, open play, Altona Soccer Club took another step closer to winning Division 2.

With only five games left to play, Altona are two games clear of their nearest rivals.

However, Division 2 is very hard and only first-class play in the remaining games will ensure that Altona will win the flag.

Bayswater were desperate for a win and they got stuck into Altona and for the first few minutes play ranged from end to end, but it was Altona who were first to steady down.

Vanderpool, Wilkie and Coles blended together making openings for Herman and Flynn.

The referee wasted good play by blowing for offside. He was wrong. The speed at which Altona was playing cut huge holes in the Bayswater defence. This type of play should not be penalised. However, just reward came as Coles finished off good leading up work with a right foot drive low into the corner of the net.

Bayswater tried hard, but Milloy, Grecco and Copley had the answer—first time tackling with good distribution, saw Altona back on the attack.

Balish and Karamatos made it easy for the Maroons to attack. Coles was sparkling on the left. He was a thorn in the Bayswater side.

Herman was taking full advantage of every opening. Vanderpool and Wilkie were making him outspeed the defence and he cracked home a great goal to give Altona a 2-0 lead at half-time.

In the second half Bayswater tried long shots at goal, but the ball never eluded the vice-like grip of Ian Roberts in the Altona goal. Milloy, Grecco and Balish controlled the middle of the field, but Altona had eased up. The killer instinct had gone. They overdid the fancy play, forgetting its goals that count.

Copley and Rice moved upfield in a more direct manner and with encouragement from the supporters it was back to the job of scoring goals.

Flynn gave the keeper no chance with a low grounder and it was number three.

At the other end Milloy, with a desperate clearance, saved, keeping the percentages intact. Grecco gave an exhibition of ball control as he outfoxed four Bayswater players in a crowd-pleasing canter downfield.

Wilkie split the opposition defence in two and Flynn made no mistake as he whacked Altona's fourth goal in the net and it was all Altona right to the final whistle.

NEXT GAME

Next Saturday Brighton visit Altona. This will be a hard game. Altona must win as a full season's hard work is at stake.

If you have nothing better to do go along and give encouragement—these lads deserve it.

RESERVES

The Reserve XI drew 1-1 with Bayswater. The young players in the Altona side played hard. Once they settle down it will be worth watching.

APEX RAFFLE

The Altona Apex Club car raffle tickets will be on sale at the match at Kim Reserve next Saturday. Bring along \$2 and help a worthwhile cause.

JUNIOR SOCCER

UNDER 12B lost 9-0 to Altona Hostel. BEST: Laumets, Moran and Darben.

UNDER 14 lost 3-2 to Corio. GOALS: Micevsi and Harper. BEST: Micevsi, J. Collins and McCall.

UNDER 16 lost 3-1 to Sunshine City. GOAL: Zabbota. BEST: Micevsi, Delaman and Stuttgart.

UNDER 10 lost 7-0 to Footscray. BEST: D. McIntosh, F. Broadly and T. Todd.

SPECIAL EFFORT

1st, 1402 (R. O'Sullivan); 2nd, 1424 (J. Briggs); 3rd, 1525 (J. Liverton).

ALTONA TENNIS JUNIOR TEAMS

SECTION 2

Altona No. 1 v. Rasamond, at Altona.

W. Thomas, R. Snowling and P. Sawyer. (Emergency: P. Euntion.) J. Walker, S. Keown and L. Smith. (Emergency B. Walker.)

SECTION 3

Altona No. 1 v. Liston No. 1, away.

G. Wood, C. Sutton and B. Cranwell. (P. Euntion.) R. Webb, J. Findlay and H. Shields. (G. Bryant.)

Altona No. 2 v. Diggers, at Altona.

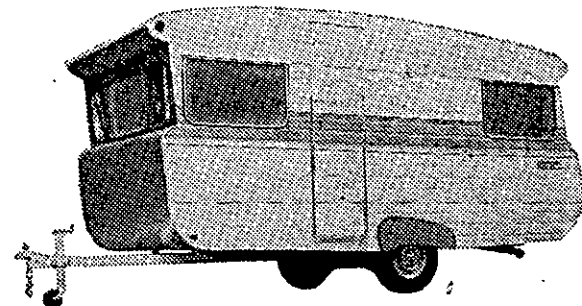
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LADIES 10-PIN BOWLING SCORES

Following are results of games played by the Central Hotel Ladies 10-Pin Bowling League at Footscray Bowl on Tuesday, July 17—

Delmans d. Watts Stores 3-0.
—High Games (HG): Lorna Thomas (D), 155; Fran Watson (WS), 125.

M. & D. Homes drew with Brobergs Chemist 1½-1½.—HG: June Downes (M&D), 145; Ruby Grist (BC), 150.

Central Hotel d. 7X Bev. 3-0.
—HG: Isobelle White (CH), 128; Jean Matthews (7X), 114.

Loys Lemonade d. Roberts Nurseries 3-0.—HG: Jean McHale (RN), 159; Jeanette Beales (LL), 143.

LEAGUE LADDER			
Team	Won	Lost	
Roberts Nurseries	49	23	
Delmans	43	29	
Brobergs Chemist	40½	31½	
Loys Lemonade	36½	35½	
M. & D. Homes	35	37	
Watts Stores	30	42	
7X Beverages	30	42	
Central Hotel	27	45	

Girls' Basketball Results

Three wins, one by a walkover, were gained by the three Altona Methodist girls' basketball teams last Saturday.

C GRADE
Altona Meths. 45 d. Newport Presbyterians 13.

B RESERVE
Altona Meths. 67 d. Newport Baptists 7.

B GRADE
Altona Meths. received a walkover from Spotswood Meths.

STREET STALL
The girls of the basketball club invite you to their street stall on Saturday morning, where a wide range of goods will be on sale, including cakes.

HOLIDAY TRIP TO NEW ZEALAND WON ON ATV-0



Maltese-born Mrs. Vicki Gauci, of Altona West, found that her three children brought her luck when she appeared in the "Eye Guess" contest in "The Tonight Show" with Jimmy Hannan on ATV-0.

Mrs. Gauci won the amusing game, and was then faced with the problem of picking numbers at random from the board. Behind each number was a valuable prize or a "stop" sign which meant she was prevented from choosing any more.

"I picked the numbers because of my children's ages," Mrs. Gauci revealed after the program. "Brenda 4, Paul 2 and Charles 1."

"The number three concealed the "stop" sign, so I am glad we didn't have a baby that year."

Main prize won by Mrs. Gauci was a 10-day holiday to New Zealand by Flotta Lauro—the first night that this particular prize was included. She was presented with her tickets by the public relations officer for Flotta Lauro, Mr. Ric Pimpini, who is a former resident of Altona.

Mr. Gauci and her husband, Eddie, will probably take their winning trip in December when Eddie gets his holidays.

Kindergartens and Welfare Centres Progressing Well

Satisfactory reports have been received by the Altona Shire Council from all infant welfare centres, kindergartens and the one play centre.

The reports show generally full enrolments, limited waiting lists in the kindergartens and progressive activities.

There is evidence that close co-operation between kindergarten directors has shortened the waiting lists to some extent. Mothers' clubs are giving effective aid in each of the centres.

Enrolment at infant welfare centres numbers close on 1200 and nearly 400 children attend the kindergartens and play centre.

Some kindergartens already have a full enrolment for 1968 — so unfortunately a waiting list for next year seems inevitable.

For the quarter ended June 30 the infant welfare sisters reported —

Murphy Street, Altona North — 460 enrolled, 1525 Attended
Centre, 170 Home visits; Collins Avenue, Alt. North, 218 enrolled, 776 Attended, 94 Home visits; Somers Parade, Altona, 155 enrolled, 644 Attended, 68 Home visits; Ronald Avenue, Alt. Nth., 10 Enrolled, 446 Attended, 64 Home Visits; David Street, Alt., 45 Enrolled, 1227 Attended, 80 Home Visits.

Included in the reports by kindergarten directors and the play leader were the following extracts —

Altona West Kindergarten, Somers Parade —

"The opening of the Play Centre in Civic Parade was greatly welcomed by many parents. This has eliminated our waiting list for this year. Exactly 50 children are now attending our Kindergarten. The enrolment list for 1968 contains 56 names at present."

"During April our groups shared buses with Altona Kindergarten on a visit to Essendon Airport. The children enjoyed this experience and were delighted at being shown through a Boeing 747. Our next outing was to see Hansel & Gretel", a Ballet, on 6th June. This was enjoyed by mothers and children.

"The Mothers' Club has paid for 20 worth of new story books and an extra Bulletin-board for picture displays. The latter has been erected for us by the council. The Mothers' Club is now saving to buy a new carpet for the play room."

Altona East Kindergarten — 13 Collins Ave.

"Our attendance has been extremely good, the overall average being 47 out of a possible 50. Our waiting list for this year fill has 18 names on it.

The Kindergarten programme has been running to its usual pattern, and the children have been busy entertaining their own particular interests. We have not been on any excursions, apart from an occasional "nature walk" in the area around our centre.

It is desirable that a wind break be erected along the fence as far as the width of the patio, also that the remainder of the pagoda be covered in. This would ensure a protected outdoor play area for both summer and winter. This, of course, could be put to our Mothers' Club to raise the necessary money needed for the project."

Altona North Kindergarten, 384 Blackshaws Rd. —

"Attendance: 25 children in each group. Average attendance — Group A-25; Group B-23. Children are enjoying the activities provided, especially the work-bench, with some interesting and amazing results. Also the climbing net provided by Mothers' Committee has been well-used."

At the beginning of June, Dr. Cowling conducted medical examinations and all 50 children attended and were examined. Dr. Cowling reported "The general standard of health was satisfactory. However, it is disappointing that so many parents have not yet taken their children to the excellent free Dental Clinic available for pre-school children."

There is now a new Mothers' Committee and I feel assured of more help and co-operation in the coming year."

Altona Kindergarten, 89 Blyth Street —

"Attendance: No. of enrolled children (per 30th June)—morning group, 23; afternoon group 19. Average attendance (for April, May, June) — morning group 21; afternoon group 19."

One of the main interests during the past weeks was play in the dolls' corner. Mrs. Antonoff and I sewed new dressing up clothes as well as new dolls' clothes, and I wish to thank the council for providing us with new kitchenware for the dolls' corner.

In April 47 children attended an excursion to Essendon Aerodrome and in May 40 children went to see the ballet "Hansel and Gretel". Both excursions proved to be successful."

Altona West Playcentre, 241 Civic Parade —

"Playcentre has been functioning barely a month, but the children have settled very well and are making use of all equipment available.

Attendance has been very regular, most of the children have not missed one day.

Days have been so fine that we have been able to make the most of the sun and have a lot of our activities outside, such as bubble blowing, carpentry, nature experiments, percussion instruments and story groups.

A Mothers' Committee has been formed with the aim of providing for Christmas festivities and any "extras" that may be needed.

We were visited twice this month by Department of Health District Supervisor, Miss Stein.

Altona North Kindergarten, 88 Fifth Avenue —

"Attendance: 50 children are now attending our kindergarten. There are another nine names on the waiting list for 1967. We already have fifty children enrolled for 1968."

The children have all participated in the general activities provided for them. Special interests have been Road Safety owing to material sent to us by the Australian Road Safety Council.

Music, both songs and rhythms has been enjoyed by the children and the percussion instruments have been having a lot of use. A donation from Union Carbide was used to purchase records which have encouraged the children's interest in and enjoyment of music."

The Mothers' Club have paid for over \$20 worth of new books. New equipment has also been given for the Dolls Corner."

Altona North Kindergarten, 30 Ronald Ave. —

"Fifty children are enrolled. There are children on the waiting list who are eligible to be enrolled, i.e.: children who will be attending school next year. Every effort is made to enrol them. They are told of vacancies at other centres operated by the Altona Shire."

The Parents' Committee hold a meeting on the first Tuesday

Long Service Leave Creates Problems

Long service leave is creating staffing shortages at the civic offices.

Currently absent is Mr. W. R. James, rate collector, who has been authorised to take his leave in two parts.

Due for long service leave in the next 12 months are Mr. J. W. Waters, shire secretary, Mr. T. R. Ferris, administrative officer, and Mr. T. G. McGarry, administrative officer.

To help alleviate the problem Mr. Waters suggested the appointment of a junior administrative officer—particularly to assist him in his duties.

Council has agreed the staff committee should discuss this suggestion nearer the end of the school year.

INDUSTRIAL WASTE INVESTIGATION

Altona Shire Engineer, Mr. R. C. Simmons, has been investigating the disposal of industrial wastes in areas in Altona Shire and has compiled a comprehensive report to be considered by the Staff and Planning Committee.

Earlier he reported to the committee on problems associated with industrial waste and the differences between the law pertaining to cities and shires.

WORKERS COMP. ORDER OF THE DAY

The Staff and Planning Committee of the Altona Shire Council is giving consideration to the expense being incurred by the making up of wages of employees absent on workers compensation and particularly one or two of the employees who have been absent for many months.

The subject has been made an order of the day for the next committee meeting with a view to evolving a certain policy on this matter.

of each month. Following the meeting a social evening is held. For the May meeting two representatives of "Avon Beauty Care" gave an interesting demonstration of hairdressing and facial make-up.

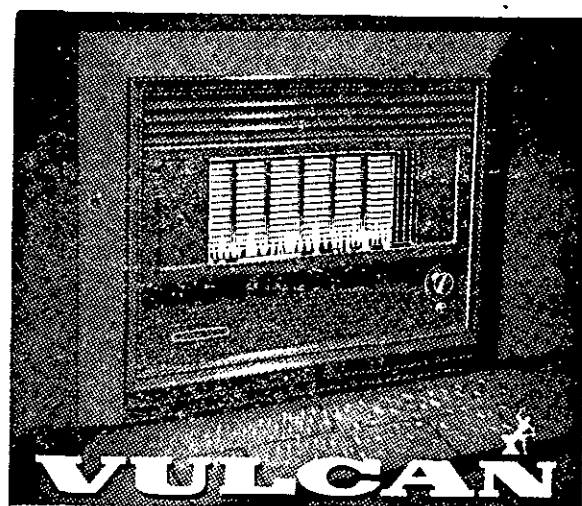
Both the April and June Meetings were fully occupied with plans for the Fancy Dress Evening. It has been decided to hold this function on the 28th October, 1967, at the Youth Hall, Altona North.

The parents continue to give strong support to the activities of the centre. One mother is at present negotiating with the headmaster of the local technical school to have made a special picture holder made of timber, to display our fine picture collection more adequately."

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You can separate your insect pests into two types—the chewing type or the leaf suckers.

Because of their different method of feeding you must destroy with different kinds of sprays. To kill the leaf sucker, type of pest you must use a contact insecticide, such as oil, sulphur compound, and nicotine sulphate.

For the leaf-eating type such as the codling moth, borer, and slug, you can use arsenate of lead, lindane, or malathion.

The best spray this month for your fruit tree would be the oil spray or tar distillate, used now while trees are bare.

This is the contact insecticide for scale and wintering eggs of the aphids.

For black spot and leaf curl use bordeaux mixture at bud burst and when blossom buds separate.

For the codling moth, brown apple moth in apples and pears, use arsenate of lead not before

November to late February.

Woolly aphids on apples: You will see this on many of the old trees. It is clusters of small black insects covered with a white sticky thread substance. When this is severe use red oil in winter or lindane.

To control aphid and thrip on all trees use nicotine sulphate or malathion as soon as aphids are noticed in spring.

Downy mildew, a fungi disease which grows deeply into the plant, shows out as a silvery greyish leaf. Should be treated with karathane or zineb.

Before using pesticides read the label carefully. Do not use more pesticide than recommended.

Avoid spraying in temperatures above 80 degrees. Some sprays will damage fruits in these conditions.

Avoid spraying open flowers to safeguard bees and other pollinating insects.

Allow at least three weeks to elapse before harvesting of fruit.

ALTONA PEDAL CLUB WINNERS

Garry Sorrell and Neil Flower won trophies at the Pedal Club Rally at Oak Park on July 16.

Winner of the Under-5's Race was Deborah Sorrell.

Carol and Christine Beben and Wayne Sorrell won certificates.

Riders are reminded of practice at 10-30 a.m. next Sunday.

SILVER PEDAL

Silver pedal results for July 15 are: 68, 97 and 140; For July 22: 146, 106 and 22.

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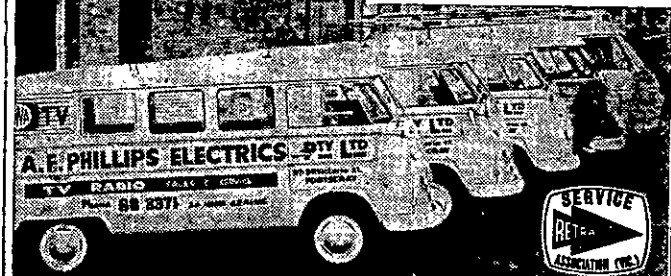
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METRO. FOOTBALL LEAGUE — SENIORS

ALTONA DEFEATED IN VITAL GAME

Altona slipped out of the four after being defeated by top team Reservoir at Grant Reserve last Saturday.

The first quarter saw Altona taking the initiative, and with all players showing a strong desire to win the ball, they looked the better side.

Using their pace to advantage and winning in most positions, Altona continued to attack very strongly for the majority of the quarter and but for some costly misses in front of goal would have had a much longer lead than their 2.3-15 to 1.3-9 at the end of the first quarter.

Altona continued in a similar view during the second term and played strongly with good teamwork and plenty of determination. Players were combining well and the pressure was Reservoir, who were striving desperately to hold the locals from breaking right away.

At half time the scoreboard showed Altona 6.7-43 to Reservoir 4.5-29, but the locals had played well enough to have had a much longer lead.

The third quarter opened with Altona into attack. They had the ball on their forward line for the first 10 minutes of play, but failed to capitalise on their opportunities by overcrowding.

Then a complete change came over the game. A couple of hard-to-understand decisions by the man in white put Reservoir in and they grabbed their chance. With ruckmen, rovers and forwards running riot, they piled on quick goals and jumped to a four goal lead in the next 16 minutes.

Altona's rucks, rovers and packmen forgot that they had opponents and Reservoir were not seriously challenged with their continued onslaught at goal. A disastrous third quarter ended with Altona 7.8-50 to Reservoir 2.8-80. The locals had slumped from a two goal half-time lead to a five goal deficit at the final change.

The last quarter was an even struggle with Altona striving to regain lost ground and Reservoir determined to hold their advantage. The locals failed to make much headway and kicked 4 to Reservoir's 4.3, leaving

their opponents still 29 points in front at the end. Final scores were Reservoir 16.11-107 to Altona 11.12-78.

GOALS: Skelley 3, Devereaux 2, Rielly 2, Molloy 2, Rohleder 1 and Piovesan 1.

BEST: Devereaux, Piovesan, Harris and Tisdale.

Altona's defeat by Reservoir last Saturday was brought about by players losing concentration in the vital third quarter. All of Altona's defeats this season have not been caused by a lack of any physical ability, but rather by this problem of players generally not being prepared, or able, to maintain concentration for the full duration of a game.

NEXT GAME

Altona play South Melbourne Districts at No. 1 Oval, Albert Park.

Team	W	L	D	Pts.
Reservoir	12	2	0	48
East Hawthorn	10	3	1	42
Northcote Park	10	4	0	40
East Brunswick	9	5	0	36
Altona	9	5	0	36
Fairfield	8	5	1	34
Thornbury	6	8	0	24
Richmond Districts	2	12	0	8
Bellfield	2	12	0	8
Sth. Melb. Districts	1	13	0	4

A.C.F. NUMBERS
490, 156, 287, 294, 144.

METRO. FOOTBALL L.—RESERVES

TOP SIDE TOO GOOD FOR ALTONA

Altona Football Club's Reserve XVIII proved no match for top side Preston Wanderers and lost 5.3-33 to 30.14-194.

GOALS: Salisbury 2, Allen 1, Drew 1 and Sherriff 1.

BEST: Wooding, Buckingham, Neal, Peachy and Ennis.

NEXT GAME

Altona meet Thornbury at Altona next Saturday week.

WESTERN SUBURBAN FOOTBALL—U-18

For the second time this season the Altona Under-18's travelled to Werribee and inflicted Werribee's fourth defeat—all by Altona.

Conditions were perfect, if a trifle warm, and lack of hard training and hard matches showed up in the play of the undefeated leaders.

Altona were first to attack, but the Werribee defenders were on top early and play saw-sawed up and down the ground until Lawson secured and registered first score of the match—a behind.

Attacking through the centre Werribee's speed caught the Altona defenders flat-footed and though Hardman and Haugh battled hard, 2.2 gave Werribee a handy lead.

"Moose" Wenlock's hit-out and Boyle and his long kick as marked by Duncan for Altona's first goal. Again Wenlock on the hit-out, but the Werribee rovers were too fast for Altona and raced the ball away to goal. Duncan, although hampered by a leg injury, was well shepherded by Lawson to goal and Altona took the lead again, and a quarter time led 3.3-21 to Werribee's 3.1-19.

Werribee levelled the score at the start of the second term, but then Boyle flashed into play, mark and goal for Altona. Werribee's rovers roved to a winning Altona ruck and attacked around the road wing 1.1. The Altona backs were under continual attack by good play by Crump and Murphy and the ball downfield to Page was marked and goaled. Page leaped again on the angle and Altona took an 11-point lead, but Werribee came back for 1.1 and at half-time Altona were just front, 6.3-39 to 5.5-35.

The injured Duncan went to centre half-forward, Walker to half-forward flank and Ron Lawson into the centre to start the second half.

After missing from close in, Duncan marked the kick-off and Altona started. Werribee tried to cut the Werribee rucks with Lawson running wild in the centre, Duncan leaped again.

Altona were getting going at half-time — coach Lou Thompson's

half-time roasting was having its effect.

Werribee attacked and on one of their few ventures past the centre goaled.

Wenlock skirted the pack like a rover to secure and with strength tore away to goal and was dropped heavily after he had scored—no free, not even a reprimand to the defending Werribee player.

Thompson kicked high and Ray Patton marked and brought up Altona's tenth goal. Wenlock received a free just before the siren and his long kick left Altona well in front at "orange time," 11.11-77 to 6.6-42.

Walker, who was playing much better in his natural position on the flank, marked cleverly and his long kick was on target for a goal.

When Page was freed for a "throw" Werribee goaled, then Lawson raced downfield for a point and a chain of passes found Duncan unmarked for a goal.

Calaz was next to goal for Altona and then Werribee scored a behind as Stephenson replaced Taylor.

MacFadyen goaled after a strong mark in front of the pack. Duncan, although unable to run marked and brought up number 16. Werribee goaled again but Altona were in attack when the final bell was sounded and won 16.13-109 to Werribee's 8.8-56.

GOALS: Duncan 7, Page 3, Wenlock 2, Patton 1, Walker 1, Calaz 1 and MacFadyen 1.

BEST: Boyle, Lawson, P. Thompson, Duncan and Wenlock.

NEXT GAME

Next Sunday Altona play Central Altona at Langshaws Reserve, Altona North.

A special vote of thanks to Mr. Bon Deacon who has been a tower of strength to the club by transporting the players and supporters to all away games.

"ALTONA STAR" FOOTBALL AWARDS

Following are the votes for this week and progress totals in the "Altona Star" Football Awards—SENIORS

VOTES FOR THIS WEEK
W. Devereaux 3 votes, I. Harris 2 and M. Piovesan 1.

PROGRESS TOTAL
13—N. Rohleder.
11—Mal Tisdale.
8—J. Petersen, I. Harris.
7—P. McLean, R. Petersen.
6—D. York.
5—P. Reid, W. Devereaux.
3—G. Morrish, J. Rielly, M. Piovesan.
1—A. Skelley, D. Boyle, J. Duncan, T. Gurrrie.
2—W. Thompson.

RESERVES

VOTES FOR THIS WEEK
W. Wooding 3 votes, R. Buckingham 2 and J. Neal 1.

PROGRESS TOTAL
10—K. Peachey.
6—J. Haugh, J. Neal.
5—W. Wooding.
4—Sherriff, G. Douglas, R. Buckingham.
3—L. Wenlock, Morrie Tisdale, K. Murphy, W. Thompson, R. Stephenson, K. Thompson.
2—J. MacFadyen, P. Itter, P. Egan, R. Meddings, R. Harrington.
1—A. Skelley, Henstridge, T. Hogan, A. Davis, W. Devereaux.

UNDER-18

VOTES FOR THIS WEEK
D. Boyle 3 votes, R. Lawson

Churches Football

Altona Meths. 23.18-156 d. Altona Presby. 2.3-15.

BEST (AM): W. Patton, N. Courtot, K. Dearn, T. Jenkins, D. Hitchcock and D. Showell; (AP): K. Churchill, Peter Haysey, J. Hancock, T. Hyde, B. Marks and C. Clayton.

GOALS (AM): W. Patton 12, N. Courtot 5, G. Morgan 3, W. Gates 2 and R. Morgan 1; (AP): K. Churchill 1 and K. Moylan 1. Williamstown 8.14-62 d. West Newport 3.6-24.

GOALS (WN): P. Smith 1, G. Spiers 1 and G. Duncan 1.

BEST (WN): G. Duncan, G. Spiers, R. Carrington, D. Truman, P. Smith and N. Cottee.

Holy Trinity 9.5-59 d. Yarraville 4.10-34.

2 and J. Duncan 1.

PROGRESS TOTAL
19—J. Duncan.
9—P. Wenlock, D. Boyle.
7—G. Page.
6—R. Zapart, R. Patton, M. Crump.
4—S. MacFadyen.
3—Newton.
2—R. Lawson.
1—M. Calaz, J. Haugh.

UNDER-16

VOTES FOR THIS WEEK
K. Flett 3 votes, P. Hartney 2 and B. Garde 1.

PROGRESS TOTAL
17—V. Pateras.
14—S. Chatfield.
11—K. Flett, B. Garde.
4—J. Hardham.
3—P. Hartney.
2—Van Dyke.
1—Walsh, Zapart, J. Walker, G. Stephenson.



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STARS SAINTS and SINNERS

By RON COLEMAN.

DRUGS AGAIN

Glad to see that some people actually give some thought to what they read, on this page and even bother to write in and tell me their views on certain topics.

Last week I received a letter from a Raymond Price who claims that my recent article on drugs "helped maintain the popular myth that LSD is an addictive drug."

If I gave anyone this impression I am sorry because at the time I was discussing drugs in general and not specifically LSD.

I am well aware that LSD is used for psychological treatment and is not addictive but I would like to remind Mr. Price that pep pills are not addictive either and this fact does not prevent truck drivers and other people from killing themselves. At a recent murder trial in Melbourne it was found that a man stabbed a woman to death as a result of taking great quantities of pep pills. Also there was the case of a truck driver who went berserk in the city recently.

However, the main point made by Mr. Price in his letter was that LSD is not addictive. But this does not make it any less dangerous for a person can cause himself great harm if this hallucination drug is not taken under supervision of a psychologist. When Billy Thorpe asked a psychologist to give him a dose of the drug the doctor flatly refused and I don't blame him. Billy should be glad that he doesn't need this kind of treatment.

To my mind the greatest danger of LSD has yet to come; especially in America. For it is there that junk pedlars tour the high schools selling drugs to innocent students who are looking for kicks. At first the cost for drugs like heroin is low, but as the student weakens under the strain and desire for more junk so the cost rises. Now that LSD has hit the black market it is quite possible that these pedlars will tell students they are selling them LSD when in fact they are selling them an addictive drug. So while Australian schools are having liquor lessons the American students will have to have drug lessons by the looks of things.

Mr. Price seems to have obtained his knowledge of drugs from one paper book, but I don't think a hundred books would make one any the wiser on the effects of drugs addictive or non-addictive.

After all, everyone is built differently and a dose of LSD or opium would probably have two entirely different effects on Peter and Paul. I notice that Altona has joined the Clean Air Society of Victoria — let's help to keep the air clean.

GOSSIP

The "four bums" are slowly but surely going their separate way.

Last year one of them was conscripted; this year another has emigrated to the shores of fair Williamstown where he is reputed to be—settling down?

Now one of the remaining two has even talked of marriage and has dared to go as far as engagement (for the third time—lucky?). Only Batman can save him from his miserable plight now. He's really taken a jump off the deep end.

Anyway, best of luck Bibby. Yo-yo's and tartans back in?

Ram Jam Big Band to record in August.

Max Merritt out of hospital, but Bob and Stewy still battling.

Group leaving AMBO for Australian Entertainment Exchange.

Normie returning to Britain soon.

Johnny Young to overstay his welcome?

Us Wot Motivate to acquire female vocalist.

Runway-69 to return soon.

Seventy cent record specials at Nev's.

Would you believe? — Sandie Shaw a factory worker until discovered by Adam Faith.

Jimi Hendrix only 19 and one of the world's best lead guitarists.

The Who are recording a few of Stone's numbers to help pay for the legal expenses of Mick Jagger and Keith Richards.

Remember the Frantics—they have just cut a record.

Troggs under new management.

Watch out for New Zealand group The Chants.

New releases from the Stones soon.

Another one from Eric and the Boys.

Drummers of RJSS and Thursday's Children injured in car smash.

Colin Cook for London in October.

Kinks to tour Australia in January.

New style for Bee Gee's latest disc.

Beach Boy Carl Wilson looks like escaping his army draft in the USA.

Playboys' drummer gained first experience in the Salvation Army.

What ever happened to Bob Dylan?

Expect big things from the Loved Ones.

Apparently Harold is mustering a huge army of wild pigs with which he hopes to invade the Metropolis.

New drive-in theatre opening at Sunshine soon—another Village that will soon be an Empire.

Laurie Arthur (ex-Mixtures) has joined Changing Times.

Apology corner—nine gallons, not 18.

COMING SOON

Watch out for an exclusive interview and photo of the Wild Cherries soon.

This group has a wild groovy sound and you've probably heard their new record "Krome Plated Yabbie" on radio lately.

Runway Back

Alison Runway-69 (Laverton Memorial Hall) returns soon with prospects of a Western Districts Go-Go Competition.

Commencing August 5, there will be at least two groups featured every week.

Watch this page for further news.

STEPTOE GLOVES

Steptoe gloves are all the rage in Sydney at the moment.

Many teenagers have been seen wearing these old gloves with the tips of the fingers cut off.

Sounds like a crazy fashion to me—but still that's Sydney for you.

Meanwhile, in Melbourne Yo-yo's look like making a feeble comeback.

Wild Side

Wild Side (formerly West Side 14) will now open on August 11 with Jeff St. John and the Id.

The Wild Cherries and Somebody's Image.

This fortnightly dance has been taken over by the Australian Entertainment Exchange and so watch out for top acts.

NEW DISCS

Mitch Ryder would rather go to gaol.

Jackie Tren sings "Your Love is Everywhere." So Sandy Posey takes it back.

The ever-popular Four Seasons sing "C'mon Marianne."

Arthur Conley's follow-up to "Sweet Soul Music" is "Shake Rattle and Roll."

A re-make of "The Happening" by Herb Alpert.

The Bee Gees newie "To Love Somebody" is predicted to be a big hit.

Local groups RSL and the Wild Cherries have new singles.

The Cherries sing "Krome Plated Yabbie."

Hurray for Little Pattie who has recorded "If He Would Care."

Records to Watch

"I Keep Forgettin'" — Python Lee Jackson.

"It Comes and Goes" — Marty Kristian.

"Bluebird" — Buffalo Springfield.

"White Rabbit" — Jefferson Airplane.

"I Wanna Be Free" — The Monkees.

"Long Legged Girl" — Elvis Presley.

INDIVIDUALS FAN CLUB

Fans of the Individuals will be interested to learn that their fan club address is C/- Miss Rhonda Haby, 6 Heather-gve., Springvale.

The Individuals are a five-piece group from Newport and like Us Wot Motivate they did quite well at the recent "Battle of the Sounds."

If you would like to know more about this way out group or you need a group for a party or social just drop a line to the "Star."

PSYCHEDELIA AT BUS STOP

Psychedelia seems to have spread its colourful wings as far as Werribee where its weird effect was displayed at Bus Stop last Sunday night when guest artist was Ronnie Burns.

Psychedelic lighting consists of weird colours which are screened across the dancers of singers at various discotheques. Sometimes actual movie films are shot on the backs of horrified groovers. For instance, you might be dancing with Batman or Mickey Mouse.

Tops at Bus Stop on Sunday night was Ronnie Burns' backing group The Final Four, who I believe did quite well in the "Battle of the Sounds."

These boys are gas singers and their co-ordination is perfect.

Iguana aren't standing still either for they have assumed the new hippie look and the lead singer even went as far as mum' fur jacket—would you believe?

This Sunday night the Bradley Sisters are guest artists. They have made quite a name for themselves through the Sunday night TV series "Start Living."

Also playing at Bus Stop a Geelong group the Gnomes Obelia and the Iguana.

Competition Result

Quite a few people knew the answers to last week's puzzle and winner was Susan Morris new member. Susan may choose her free record from New Variety Bar.

This Week

What is Dean Martin's name? Address all entries SSS Competition, C/- "Alt Star," 101 Pier-st., Altona, 30.

Slot Car Hints By Nev.

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5.—Groovin' — Young Ras

6.—Puppet on a String — Sandy S

7.—All You Need is Love — The Bea

8.—Respect — Aretha Fran

9.—Warterloo Sunset — The K

10.—Ding Dong the Witch is Dead — The Fifth Es

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Features of the game were the hard, close checking by Altona's backmen, forcing Werribee into hurried kicking for goal thus causing inaccuracy and allowing Altona to keep in touch all day.

GOALS: Woodcock 4, Wilson 1, Flett 1, Stephenson 1, Cahill 1 and Chatfield 1.

BEST: Flett, Hartney, Garde, Stephenson, Pateras, Woodcock, Chatfield and Chalmers.

KOORINGAL GOLF

Results from Saturday's stableford competition are as follows—

A GRADE: A. Chisholm (8/7), 37 points.

B GRADE: J. Fisher (12/11), 36 points.

C GRADE: A. Saunders (24/21), 39 points.

Sunday's professional competition results are—

V. Gubbins (22/17), plus 2;

E. Holmes (23/17), plus 2; and

R. B. Gray (18/14), plus 1.

LIFE SAVERS WIN BEACHCLEAN

Altona Life Saving Club has won the President's Perpetual Trophy for its effort during last summer's Operation Beachclean.

The Shield is awarded to the club which records the highest average hours per worker. Altona Life Saving Club members recorded a total of 330 hours with an average of 4 hours 47 minutes per worker.

Trophy winners were announced at the wind-up night for the 1966/67 season held in the Civic Hall last Saturday.

Shire President, Cr. S. G. McIntosh, presented the Shield to Miss Barbara Allen and Mr. Ron Bailey, senior members of the life saving club.

Trophies were presented to individual winners in four sections and once again the names of "Allen" and "Marshall" appear among the award winners. Their names appear consistently each year.

Best individual efforts for the season were —

Senior Girls — Miss Barbara Allen, 21 hours, Altona Life Saving Club;

Senior Men — Mr. K. Marshall, 33 hours, Altona North St. John Ambulance Brigade;

Junior Girls — Miss S. Roksan-dio, 10 hours, Altona North St. John.

Junior Boys — D. Marshall, 52 hours, Altona North St. John.

Altona Life Saving Club also received a cheque for \$60 and the other clubs which participated in Operation Beachclean and logged more than 100 hours each received \$40.

Present at the evening were Councillors Lee, Bond, Cresser, Jurga, Crofts and Ginfier.

Entertainment started at 7 p.m. with a magician holding the attention of the children. He later compared the dancing which went from 8-30 to 11 p.m.

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WIFT, Evelyn.—July 27, 1965. In memory of a good friend. So sadly missed. Lesley.
MITH.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Ethel Rose, who passed away on July 30, 1965. Sunshine passes, Shadows fall. Loving memory outlasts them all. Her loving husband, Arthur.
EVELYN.—In loving memory of Evelyn, loving wife of Roy and mother of Robyn, Helen, Stephen, Jennifer and Heather. Always in our thoughts. Inserted by the Swift family.
WIFT, Evelyn.—Passed away July 27, 1965. Two years have passed away. But memories stay. Still loved and missed in every way. Loving mother and father, Margaret and Joanne.
WIFT, Evelyn.—Passed away July 27, 1965. Sweet memories. Les, Jean and family.

LIVESTOCK

AUST. TERRIER puppies for sale. 85 Millers-rd., Altona. 398-1756.
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PUBLIC NOTICES

APEX WEEKLY WINNER for the third week was No. 4020.

Notice of Intention to Make a General Rate and Pan Fee. Notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Council of the Shire of Altona, at an Ordinary Meeting of the Council to be held in the Council Chamber of the Civic Offices, at 115 Civic-pde., Altona, on Tuesday, August 8, 1967, at 8 p.m. to make a General Rate of Thirteen Point Five cents in the \$1 of the Net Annual Value of all rateable tenements within the Shire and a Pan Fee of Fourteen Dollars and Forty-five cents (\$14.45) per pan per annum on all unsewered tenements within the Shire. Such rate and pan fee shall be due and payable in one sum on December 10, 1967, and shall be in respect of the year ending September 30, 1968. The Estimates prepared in accordance with Local Government provisions are open for inspection and may be inspected free of charge during office hours at the Civic Offices, 115 Civic-pde., Altona.

JAMES W. WATERS,
Shire Secretary.

TAXATION

TAXATION. For the convenience of clients office hours will be extended to August 31, as follows: Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturday, 8-30 a.m. to 12-30 p.m. Noel C. Ham, Public Accountant, 49 Civic-pde., Altona. 398-1089.

BIRTHS

STEPHEN.—Betty and George proudly announce the safe arrival of George and Drew's baby sister (Elizabeth-Ann), July 20. Sincere thanks to Dr. Szweide, Dr. McCoy and staff Altona Hospital.

THANKS

Mrs. VERA BUTLER would like to thank all relatives and friends, members of the Elderly Citizens Club, Dr. R. J. Long, Dr. Szweide, and the staff of the Williamstown Hospital for the kindness and cards sent to her during her recent stay in hospital. Would all accept this as a personal thanks.

FIRING PRACTICES—WILLIAMSTOWN RIFLE AREA

The PUBLIC is hereby warned that FIRING PRACTICES with rifle, machine gun, machine carbine and pistol may be carried out between 0730 hours and 1900 hours daily in the WILLIAMSTOWN RIFLE RANGE area during the month of AUGUST, 1967.

DEFINED AREA

All the land of the WILLIAMSTOWN area known as the WILLIAMSTOWN (or MERRETT) RIFLE RANGE; that is to say all that land SOUTH of KOROROIT CREEK ROAD enclosed between the junction of KOROROIT CREEK with the EASTERN boundary line of MADDOX STREET; thence in a NORTHERLY direction to the corner of MADDOX STREET and KOROROIT CREEK ROAD with the PROPERTY of the Victorian State EDUCATION DEPARTMENT; thence in a SOUTHERLY direction along this boundary and the boundaries of housing properties; thence again in an EASTERLY direction for 259 yards to the boundary fence of the Girls' School; thence again in a SOUTHERLY direction to the PORT PHILLIP BAY FORESHORE; thence in a WEST and NORTH WESTERLY direction along the FORESHORE to the junction of KOROROIT CREEK with the EASTERN boundary line of MADDOX STREET afore mentioned; and for a distance of 3200 yards SOUTH (into PORT PHILLIP BAY) throughout the length of this FORESHORE widening to a length of 3800 yards at its SOUTHERN extremity.

ENTRY INTO THE AREA

Members of the public seeking entry into the range proper in the course of business must first make application to the Range Superintendent (telephone 65-6027). Entry for any other reason is forbidden.

Members of the public are warned against entry into the danger area of PORT PHILLIP BAY whenever firing practices are being conducted.

FLYING OF DANGER FLAGS
 As a warning to the public that the range is in use RED flags are hoisted in the vicinity of the range foreshore at intervals throughout its length.

WANTED TO SELL

VESPA motor scooter. Apply 62 Maidstone-st., Altona.
RADIOGRAM, double bed with mattress, modern dressing table and fridge. 55 David-st., Altona.

BUILDING MATERIALS

THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL — Secondhand corrugated iron, 10c per foot. Select your own. Secondhand rotary hoe, \$1.20. Secondhand motor mowers, from \$8.
 3 x 1½ hardwood, \$6 100 feet.
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 3in. hardwood architraves, \$7 100 feet.
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SHIRE OF ALTONA

Applications closing on Friday, July 21, are invited for the position of labourer with the Shire of Altona. Applicants should state age, marital status, experience and union particulars.

JAMES W. WATERS,
 Shire Secretary.

CRICKET COACH

ALTONA CRICKET CLUB
 Coaching applications will close on July 31, 1967.

CONTACT—

R. McCULLAGH,
 259 Civic-pde., Altona.

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Dear Readers,

This month sees the beginning of the Altona Festival of Arts, an event which will put Altona on the map, and will, we hope, be the pilot for an annual festival of the same nature.

It is hoped that the entire community joins in the spirit of this momentous occasion, and that each and every one of you takes the opportunity to attend the many displays and activities available throughout the festival period.

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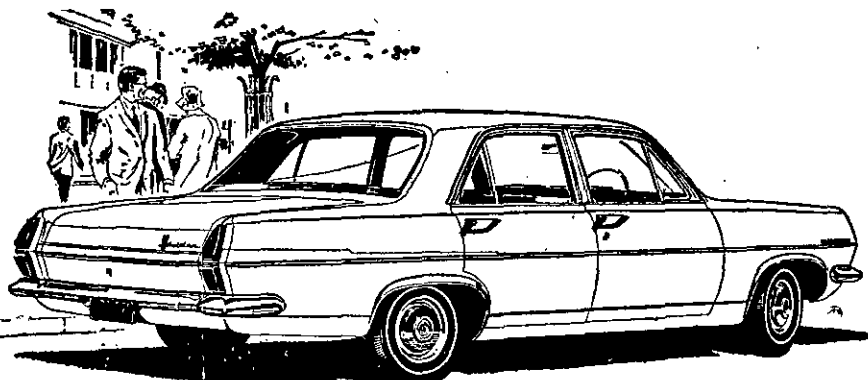
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Consent of Attorney-General given for sale of tickets in Altona Shire from July 6, 1967 to August 30, 1967.

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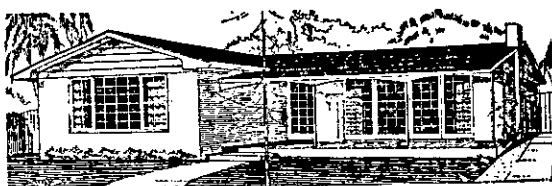
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